

Let me just say this in closing. I just got back from a very moving trip to Europe. I went to the Baltic countries, the first American President ever to be there, as the Russian armies are withdrawing, thanks in large measure to our efforts. I went to Berlin and was the first American President ever to be able to speak in the Eastern part of Berlin, with over 100,000 people there. And I met with three big groups of our military men and women and their families, their spouses, and their children, three big groups, enthusiastic crowds. And I was shocked. They only asked me about one issue—one—our military families. They said, “Please, Mr. President, a lot of us have to leave the service, a lot of us are coming home. We had health care in the service. Don’t let us come home to America that we served that won’t give our children health insurance. Don’t let us do that.” That’s all they talked about.

So I tell you, folks, we’ve made changes in our plan. We’ve made it better for small business, more flexibility, guaranteed even more choices. And I want to challenge the people in Congress, especially the Members of the other party, not to pass a program that claims to do something it doesn’t do. Let’s don’t burn the middle class one more time. Let’s help the middle class. Let’s help small business. Let’s provide health care to all Americans. We can do it. Other nations have done it, and we can do it, too.

Thank you, and God bless you all.

NOTE: The President spoke at 1:28 p.m. at Greensburg Courthouse Square. In his remarks, he referred to Mayor Daniel Fajt of Greensburg, and residents Louise Mastowski and Lynn Hicks.

Statement by the President on the Closing of the Embassy of Rwanda

July 15, 1994

The United States cannot allow representatives of a regime that supports genocidal massacre to remain on our soil.

NOTE: This statement was part of a Press Secretary statement announcing the closing of the Embassy of Rwanda and ordering all personnel to leave the United States.

Memorandum on Emergency Military Assistance to the Dominican Republic

July 15, 1994

Presidential Determination No. 94-34

Memorandum for the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Defense

Subject: Determination to Authorize the Furnishing of Emergency Military Assistance to the Dominican Republic Under the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by section 506(a)(1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, 22 U.S.C. 2318(a)(1) (the “Act”), I hereby determine that:

- (1) an unforeseen emergency exists, which requires immediate military assistance to the Dominican Republic; and
- (2) the emergency requirement cannot be met under the authority of the Arms Export Control Act or any other law except section 506 of the Act.

Therefore, I hereby authorize the furnishing of up to \$15 million in defense articles from the stocks of the Department of Defense, and military education and training to the Dominican Republic.

The Secretary of State is authorized and directed to report this determination to the Congress and to arrange for its publication in the *Federal Register*.

William J. Clinton

Digest of Other White House Announcements

The following list includes the President’s public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

July 9

In the morning, the President attended the opening session of the economic summit at Palazzo Reale in Naples, Italy.